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TOBACCO MARKET WILL OPEN HERE DECEMBER 10th

Big Season Looked For—Good Advice to the Growers as to the Handling of Their Crops.

The Loose Leaf Market in this city will open on Tuesday, December 10th, for the season of 1918-19.

This was decided upon at a meeting of the Maysville Tobacco Association held last night at the Chamber of Commerce rooms on West Second street.

As much tobacco has already been stripped and made ready for market, it is thought there will be no drawback by the time of the opening from not having tobacco ready, as this weather now is ideal tobacco weather and farmers are busy stripping and getting their crops ready to be promptly handled when the time comes.

It is also predicted that prices will be high, in fact, it is thought, from present indication; that the prices this season will be the highest burley tobacco ever sold for in the history of any market.

Mr. E. T. Kirk, President of the Maysville Tobacco Association, and Mr. J. C. Raines, Secretary-Treasurer, in their efforts to secure the most money for the farmers for their tobacco, have always endeavored to give them the proper advice as to how they should prepare their crops for market, and if they will take a little more time and follow the instructions below, they will be the ones to reap the benefits:

Looking to the good of every one connected with the tobacco industry, as well as conservation of labor, which is very necessary at this time, we must insist on the grower using more care in handling the crop, in order to expedite the movement of same and eliminate the unnecessary hand sorting in the warehouse.

Keep your different grades separated, and when placing on the wagon be sure and mark each kind with corn stalks or tobacco stalks and then no matter who takes it off it can be placed directly on the basket without having to be scattered over the warehouse floor.

If you have been a close observer you no doubt will remember that all high sellers have handled their tobacco just this way.

Although the shortage of labor

seemed to be a big factor in the opening of the market here, it is now thought that with the relieving of so many from Government work near this city that there will be sufficient help to properly handle all the tobacco offered, and the growers can rest assured that they will be taken care of here better than at any other market in this state.

And don't forget, the opening will be Tuesday, December 10th.

DEATH OF MICHAEL GRIMES

Mr. Michael Grimes, aged 34, died at his home about four miles from this city on the Mt. Sterling Turnpike Monday afternoon, after a week's illness of pneumonia. He was one of this county's robust young farmers and was one of the most popular young men in this section. He was a son of the late Martin Grimes, at one time a resident of this city, and is survived by one sister and four brothers. The funeral will occur tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, the burial following in the Catholic cemetery at Washington.

UNITED WAR WORK FUND GROWING

The United War Work Fund that has been under way here for the past week, and which has been dragging, seems to have taken on new life the past two days. Today at noon there was approximately \$25,000, and Chairman Rees feels confident that the 50 per cent. over-subscription will be raised by tomorrow night. But Mason county is now over the top on its quota of \$25,800.

SUDDEN DEATH

Miss Mary McCullough, an aged resident, died at her home on Third street, near Limestone, this morning from an attack of heart disease. She is survived by one sister, Miss Ann McCullough, and several nieces and nephews in Covington and Cincinnati. Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

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NEW WORLD WAR RIOT BREWING IN GERMAN CENTERS

Allied Diplomats and Statesmen See Effort to Trap Allies—Social Revolutions to Be Fomented.

London, November 19.—The rumors that William Hohenzollern, the former German emperor, may possibly return to Germany have created a considerable stir here. It is feared by some of the newspapers that the former emperor sooner or later may become the center of a reactionary movement in Germany when the present revolutionary storm has blown over.

On the other hand, the fact of the former ruler placing himself, or being placed, in the hands of the new rulers of Germany would be welcomed in other quarters. These rulers, the Morning Post argues, should be able to execute judgment upon him and in so doing would be acting only as fitting instruments of justice.

There is everywhere, however, agreement in the idea that the emperor's presence in Holland is intolerable, and it is insisted that he must somehow be made impotent to do further mischief.

The Daily Express sees the possibility of a plot to trick the Allies and create a federation far exceeding in strength and resources the former German empire. In the course of a long article this newspaper contends that the former emperor is back of Chancellor Ebert, former Chancellor Maymillan of Baden and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, and it lays emphasis upon the fact that the emperor signed no formal abdication and issued no valedictory message.

A number of leading Allied diplomats and statesmen, including Lord Robert Cecil, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, believe that something is brewing in Germany in the direction of a plot to trap the Allies. The Express declares. The facts appear to indicate, it adds, the existence of a plan to foment social revolutions in Holland and Switzerland, and possibly in Sweden, through pro-German agitators. It is also desired, according to these indications, the newspaper declares, to foment social revolution in Allied countries, provide for the eventual return of the former emperor to Germany, the restoration of the old regime and the formation of a greatly extended German federation. Such a federation, with William Hohenzollern at its head, the Express argues, would carry the seed of another world war. It insists that the former emperor must be seized and his activities prevented.

MOXLEY-GETTES

On Wednesday evening Miss Ina Belle Gettes became the bride of Mr. Victor Moxley of Knoxville, Tenn. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Cora Gettes, at Knoxville, and was a very quiet affair, only a few relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Gettes had as her only attendant, Miss Anna Lou Bray, maid of honor and Mr. Moxley had as his best man Mr. Joseph E. Dance of the United States Navy. Rev. C. B. Atkins officiated.

Miss Gettes is the youngest daughter of Miss Cora Gettes formerly of Maysville and has made Knoxville her home for the past year. Mr. Moxley has been an employee of the Knoxville Sentinel for several years. They will make Knoxville their future home. Miss Gettes' many friends extend congratulations.

FIRST YANKS TO RETURN HOME WILL BE 18,000 IN ENGLAND, WHO ARE TO SAIL WITHIN WEEK

London, November 18.—The first American troops to depart homeward as a result of the signing of the armistice will be 18,000 men stationed in England. The American army expects to start the first shipload of these soldiers homeward within a week, and to have all the men on their way back to the United States 10 days later.

SICK LIST SHORTENS ON C. & O.

There were 60 employees of the Huntington division of the C. & O. off duty yesterday on account of illness, the smallest number for some time. The Logan division had five sick, Hinton nine, Ashland-Big Sandy, 27 and Cincinnati, 150.

Relatives here have received word that Private W. H. Leonard is ill with scarlet fever and pneumonia at Camp Hancock, Ga.

Mr. Scott Young and family have about recovered from their attack of influenza and his place of business is again open.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THIS FOR NERVE?

Germany Pleading For Mercy—Solf Appeals For Freedom To Exploit Rhineland.

London, November 19.—Germany desires the terms of the armistice modified so that it can have economic intercourse with the territory on the left bank of the Rhine as before the armistice. Dr. Solf, the foreign secretary, says in a wireless dispatch received here. The message is addressed to the Governments of the United States, Great Britain, France and Italy.

In view of the close economic relations between the country west of the Rhine and the rest of Germany, the preservation of which is necessary "to the continued peaceful development of Germany," Dr. Solf asks the modification of some dozen points concerning this region. For instance, he asks permission for German owners to exploit, as heretofore, the coal, potash and iron ore mines and the general free use of the Rhine for transport within the old boundaries of the German empire.

The foreign secretary also asks permission for free navigation by way of Rotterdam and the coast for the provisioning of Germany; the continuation of industrial pursuits, on the left bank of the Rhine for the use of the rest of Germany and free railway traffic in occupied territory. The old frontier of the empire, including Luxembourg, Dr. Solf suggests, is to be regarded as the customs boundary, and customs duties are to be levied by Germany.

Dr. Solf declares that without these modifications Germany will "advance toward more or less Bolshevik conditions, which might become dangerous to neighboring states."

He repeats the previous protest against the surrender of means of transport and protests against "continuation of the blockade." The foreign secretary concludes by saying that attempts by German delegates to discuss these matters at Spa had been unsuccessful because the representatives there of the Allied countries lacked the necessary powers.

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE WITHOUT A HOME?

That is the case with a couple of children I have that are looking for some one to mother and take care of them. A little boy three and a little girl six years of age. Won't some one please take these children that are so unfortunate? If you will please call me up I will make arrangements to have them at my office so you can see them.

H. P. PURNELL, County Judge.

REACHED MINIMUM GOAL

District Chairman Robert A. Cochran of the National United War Work Campaign today received the following telegram from State Campaign Director C. A. Tevebaugh:

"Congratulations on district reaching minimum goal. Help Kentucky reach \$2,000,000. Pull hard for 50 per cent. over-subscription. Wednesday is the last day."

Marriage License was granted Mr. Henry Evans and Miss Lula Alexander of Vanceburg Tuesday morning. They were later married by Rev. J. J. Dickey of the Second M. E. Church, South.

Edward Franklin Berry of Mayslick, and Little Bell Bramel, of Harrison, Ohio, were issued marriage license this morning by County Clerk J. J. Owens and will be married Wednesday at Covington.

GETTING READY TO BUILD THE NEW COAL DOCKS

Contractors' Agent Here Yesterday Purchasing Needed Supplies For Preliminary Work.

For some time after the coal docks east of this city burned last spring speculation was rife as to whether or not the railroad company would rebuild the structure on its old site or whether it would go farther east.

Many openly expressed their disapproval of the coal docks being rebuilt so close to this city, giving as their reason that the long trains continually blocking the street crossings through the Fifth and Sixth Wards was a great inconvenience to travelers in vehicles and on foot, and from present prospects there would be no let-up to these inconveniences.

While they were entitled to their opinions, they did not stop to think that what little inconvenience caused by the blocking of the crossings—which was not so frequent as to cause so much unjust comment—was overcome by the fact that there were about a dozen men employed at the docks that spent every cent of their earnings with the merchants of this city, which was a good big item for a town this size.

When the company announced the docks would be removed from their location here to Concord a numerous signed protest went to headquarters from here, while the Chamber of Commerce took up the matter with the company, but the protests were not heeded, and the contract for the new docks has been let to the Roberts & Schaeffer Co. of Chicago, and their representative, Mr. J. G. Mahan, was here yesterday purchasing some necessary supplies with which to begin preliminary work on the new structure. It will be built of concrete and iron and will be made absolutely fireproof, and will be as modern as it is possible to build a structure of this kind.

It will be much larger than the old one, and will be so constructed as to enable four engines to coal and water at the same time, thus conserving as much time as possible.

It is stated the new docks will cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000. It will be necessary to build temporary quarters for the workmen who will be imported there by the company, and the new structure will be rushed to completion as rapidly as weather and men will permit.

Fancy Greenup County Sorghum \$1.35 per gallon. Bring your Jugs. 14-1f R. LEE LOVEL.

MARTIN'S SEAT IN THE SENATE IS CHALLENGED

Senator Curtis of Kansas Questions the Appointment of the Short-Term Senator From This State.

Washington, November 18.—The right of Senator John Martin of Kentucky, Democrat, to his seat in the Senate was challenged today by Senator Curtis of Kansas, Republican whip, when the war-time prohibition bill was called up, but passage of the bill without a roll call prevented the question from coming to an issue. Senator Martin was appointed by Governor A. O. Stanley a few months ago to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Ollie James, ending March 3, under a State statute allowing such ad interim appointments. The Republicans contend that the constitutional amendment for popular election of senators is mandatory in requiring election to a senate vacancy in the next general election. Governor Stanley, a Democrat, was elected November 5, to a six-year term, beginning March 4. Senator Martin's home is at Catlettsburg, Ky. He formerly was County Judge in that city.

Later Senator Curtis said if reports that Democrats and Republicans in Kentucky agreed to let Senator Martin remain in the Senate until March 4 were verified, no further objection to him probably would be made.

A telegram to Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Owens late yesterday afternoon, announced the serious illness of their son, Frank S. Owens, at his home in Los Angeles, Cal. He was stricken with influenza several days ago and pneumonia has developed. It is sincerely hoped that the crisis has been passed and that he will improve.

Fresh Baltimore Oysters received. Try a Ledger Want Ad. It Pays, daily. R. LEE LOVEL. 14-1f

WILL BE THE GREATEST SURRENDER IN HISTORY

Germans Under Way to Turn Warships Over to the Victorious Allies—Twenty-one in All Leave Their Ports.

London, November 18.—This week will see the greatest naval surrender which the world ever has witnessed. A great fleet of German battle ships, battle cruisers and light cruisers and destroyers left port this morning for an unknown destination. They will be met by the British fleet, accompanied by American and French representatives, and conducted to their destination. A Berlin telegram, received in Amsterdam, gives this list of the vessels to be handed over:

Battleships—Kaiser, Kaiserin, Konig, Albert, Kronprinz Wilhelm, Prinz Regent Luitpold, Markgraf, Grosser Kurfurst, Bayern, Konig, and Friedrich Der Grosse—10.

Battle Cruisers—Hindenburg, Derfflinger, Seydlitz, Moltke and Von Der Tann—5.

Light Cruisers—Bromen, Brummer, Frankfurt, Koeln, Dresden and Emden—6.

The German cruiser Dresden was sunk off Falkland Islands by the British, under Admiral Sturdee, and the Emden was sunk in the Indian Ocean after it had raided shipping in the Far East. It is probable that old ships had been given the names of the ships sunk, or that new ships had been built to replace them.

NOTICE, RED MEN

Wyandotte Tribe No. 3 announces there will be a meeting at 7 o'clock this evening. Business of importance.

DUKE WHITE, C. of R. F. H. Spencer, Sachem.

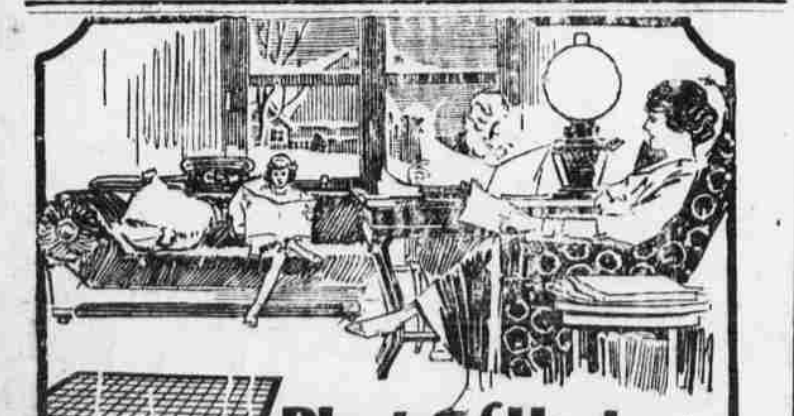
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Gowns of Tricolette

Tricolette will save wool for the Boys "Over There." Before making your choice be sure to visit our comprehensive presentation of Tricolette Gowns for Winter. The very slender silhouette is the obvious object of each mode featured. Silk braiding which races distractingly in intricate motifs over the entire long waisted bodices, forms the only trimming.

TRIMMINGS—INTERESTING FEATURE OF WINTER SUITS

Silk and wool braid trimmings on suits are very much the vogue. However, a number of the striking modes displayed, cling to the pile fabric or natural fur collar and cuff ideas. For the woman who would be different though smartly clad, this pleasing assortment offers considerable opportunity for individual choice.

A CORSET THAT DEFINES COMFORT

To be comfortably, yet stylishly, corseted is by no means a simple matter. Nevertheless, designers have produced a model for medium figures that accomplishes this. It is developed in silk broche and is strongly boned, yet perfectly flexible. Priced at \$4.50.

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